

PATENT APPLICATION

ECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800 IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q66059

Satoru HOSONO, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/942,764

Group Art Unit: 2853

Confirmation No.: 9203

Examiner: Blaise L. MOUTTET

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INK JET RECORDING HEAD, METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME, For:

METHOD OF DRIVING THE SAME, AND INK JET RECORDING APPARATUS

INCORPORATING THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of December 18, 2002 to May 18, 2003.

Please charge the statutory fee of \$410.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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